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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

This is in response to the Office action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 12, 2007. Applicants enclose a Request for Continued Examination and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-3081. Prior to examination, please enter this Amendment and Response and consider the accompanying remarks. In the event any additional fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-3081.

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